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## CLOSED IN A BLAZE OF GLORY.

### Marion Graded School Winds Up Its Tenth Scholastic Year.

Splendid Program Carried Out with a Perfection only Possible with "Our Boys and Girls."

Last Thursday evening, May 5, the Marion opera house was crowded with friends of education and they represented the elite of society in this city and vicinity. The occasion was the graduation of 20 of the 8th grade class of the Marion graded school.

With music, song and prayer, the evening's programme was ushered in, after which Mr. Roy Terry favored the audience with "A Sketch of the Pennyrite," which pleased his constituents very much. Next Miss Varney Coffield gave "The Girl who came late," a curtain lecture which she should not soon forget. Miss Amy Wathen pictured the grandeur of "The Rockies and the Alps" in language so vivid as to place their snow capped peaks in view of her hearers. Next we were transported with "Dewey at Manila," by R. L. Babb, and on into Japan, where Miss Stella Redd gave her very instructive "Glimpses of Japanese life." One of the most enthralling subjects of the evening was, "Hitch You Wagon to a Star," and it was presented in a way to arouse the ambition of any boy who heard it so well delivered by Curtis Hughes. Those who enjoy the luxury of electricity were prepared to appreciate Miss Elvie Hill's "Greatest Living American"—Thos. A. Edison; and when Presley Guess got to talking about his "First Mustache" many strained their eyes to see it.

Misses Olive Braswell and Dixie Towery then debated the Japan-Russian war, pro and con, and left the matter still in doubt in the minds of the public. Each represented her case admirably.

"Meditations of a Broom" by Miss Katie Carter was given in a way that proved the fair speaker an adept, not only in elocution, but also in the use of the broom.

A circle around the world brought us from the scene of the Japan-Russian war to "Gettysburg with Lee," and that imperturbable leader was seen on his snow white steed, and proud indeed would he have been to have heard the applause brought from the audience when Frank Swisher mentioned his name.

In a tone subdued, refined, and worthy of any "college girl" Miss Edith Davis delighted her hearers with "We Build the Ladder by which we Rise," a motto which should be emblazoned on the minds of every boy or girl in this broad land.

Mr. Norman Henry's plea, "The Negro worthy our efforts to help," was indeed a commendable subject well handled.

Miss Pauline Fohs in "Night Discloses the Stars" brought out that true and beautiful thought that in adversity's dark hour the brightest gems in our lives are usually discovered.

"Manual Training," by J. L. Jones; "Grant Revealing Determination," by Miss Elsie Riley; "What God gives a boy," by Sylvan Price; "A walk in Yellowstone Park," by Miss Ruth Dodds, and "What shall we do with the Boys," by Miss Korrie Rice, were all worthy of the young speakers, and would have done justice, any of them, to a high school graduate.

Friday night's programme was equally interesting.

"The Men who Do," by Trice Bennett, carried the mind's eye to the men who achieve success in the great world of business.

"Echoes of Spring," by Miss E. C. Carlos, was up to date.

A timely warning, by H. A. Babb, "Love thy Neighbor, but don't go on his Note."

If any person there was dissatisfied with the present, Miss Fenwick Wathen's "Auld Lang Syne" would surely have convinced them that we live in the greatest age known to man.

"North American Indians," by H. C. Gilliland.

"Knee Deep in June," by Miss Minnie Crowder.

"Our next President," by C. M. Quirey.

Reading by Miss Gwendoline Ford.

"What's the matter with the Hen," by Lester Paris.

Were all worthy of special mention.

"The Soliloquy of the whiskey bottle," by Miss Gustava Haynes, was splendidly rendered and was one of the gems of this evening's programme.

Where was the husband, brother, or sweetheart who did not listen with wrapt attention to Miss Nellie Gray's eulogy on "Woman, and What She Can Do"; she was heartily encored.

"A Sail on a Cloud," by Carl Trisler, and "Kentucky Weather" by Massie Champion were good.

Miss Annie Dean then took her audience on a "Trip up the Hudson," and she told in a delightful, interesting way, of its beauties and grandeur.

"The South the Future Empire" by J. C. Buchanan, came next, followed by "Here's to our Country Right—But for her, Right or Wrong," by Miss Lillie C. Duvall who grace and attractiveness added much to the good subject.

One of the catches of the evening was by Gray Rochester, "Feeling After a Picnic." It amused every one who had ever been "a picnicing."

The valedictorian and winner of the medal, Miss Mary Deboe, then closed the programme with "Old Banjo Talks."

Prof Evans presented her with the Hayward medal, in a touching tribute to the generosity of the donor and the industry and application of the winner.

Saturday night, after music and benediction, the valedictorian, Mr. Leslie Melton, appeared, and afterwards the programme was taken up and the dramatic talent of the city was put before the footlights. The first scene from the Rivals, "The Challenge," with Coleman Haynes, Cleveland Wolfe, James Kirk and Everett Minner representing the dramatic personnel was much enjoyed and all the parts were well rendered.

"A Stagestruck Maiden," gave Miss Hilda Schwab a rare opportunity to display her talents, which are indeed wonderful.

The 3d number this evening was "Aurelian and Zenobia," and each of the actors did well his part. Miss Mamie Henry as Zenobia, the captive Queen of Palmyra, and Henry Wedlington, as

Aurelian, Emperor of Rome were especially good in their parts; while Guy Griffith as Antiochus, Miss Mabel Minner as "Sindarino," Hilda Schwab as Julia, daughter of the Queen, and Leslie Melton as a Roman guard, each did well their parts and helped to make up a star company.

The 4th and last number on the programme "Peleg and Patience," was the most amusing feature of all. The characters were:

Mr. Munroe, Everett Minner  
Mrs. Munroe, Mabel Minner  
Elvira Munroe, Ellis Gray  
Clifton Sparrowgrove,

Peleg Jones, Leslie Melton  
Patience Jones, Daisy Copher  
and the players showed much talent and adaptability to their several parts. This play "brought down the house."

The valedictorian, Henry Wedlington, feelingly closed the 10th annual commencement.

### LIVINGSTON NEWS.

[From the Banner.]

J. P. Wells, formerly of this county, but of late a citizen of Dycusburg, Crittenden county, died at his home last Saturday after a short illness of pneumonia.

Supt. Z. A. Bennett narrowly escaped a serious accident yesterday afternoon. While driving down front street his horse became frightened and refused to go; getting out of his buggy he took him by the bridle and tried to lead him when he became unmanageable and backed the buggy over the steep bank in front of T. D. Pressnell's store. Horse and buggy rolled almost to the water's edge, before it stopped. The buggy was badly damaged and the horse also badly bruised.

W. C. Ellis, who has been spending the winter at DeLand, Fla., has returned, greatly improved in health. Mr. Ellis is an old Smithland man and at one time one of our leading merchants, and is therefore always a welcomed visitor.

Elda W. R. Gibbs of Sheridan, R. M. LaRue, of Levas, and E. M. Eaton of Salem passed through town yesterday en route home from Panhandle, where they had been to officiate in the organization of a baptist church.

Attorney T. Everett Butler and wife were called to the bedside of Miss Sarah Koon, Mrs. Butler's sister, last week, to be with her in what is supposed to be her last illness. Miss Koon lives near Fredonia, Caldwell county, and has been in declining health for several months.

Dr. Hayden Threlkeld, of Salem, came down Monday to spend the summer with his uncle, Dr. F. G. LaRue. Dr. Threlkeld is a student of the Kentucky Hospital College of Medicine, of Louisville, having been there one year. At present he is here where he will remain until the opening of the fall term of his college.

### SUSPENDED IN A WELL.

Little Mary Leathers had a blood curdling experience yesterday, says a dispatch from Lawrenceburg, Ky. She is a daughter of John Leathers, one of the most prominent men in the county, and was playing around an open well in the back yard. She got too near the edge and toppled over, but her skirt caught in a snag and held her suspended headforemost in the well, which is fifty feet deep and half full of water. She remained in this awful position for several hours absolutely helpless. Her parents became alarmed and instituted a search for her, and found her suspended in the well, as stated above, when she was immediately rescued. With the exception of a few immaterial bruises and a lifelong scare she escaped injury.

### MINING NEWS.

Mining is now in Full Swing, with Many Rich Strikes.

The Brown mine started up last Monday week.

The Marion Mineral company put in a pump recently at their Pogue mine.

George Roberts will start a new shaft on the Eaton property this week.

Mr. Uren is mining about 25 tons of very fine zinc per day at the Old Jim.

The Kentucky Fluorspar company has struck a fine vein of No. 1 spar in their new shaft on the Blue & Marble property.

Mr. B. D. Drescher took charge of the Columbia mine the first of the month, and will act as general manager for the company.

Mr. J. M. Persons has resigned his position at the Columbia mine for the purpose of working and operating mines of his own.

Mr. McGraw, from Toledo, Ohio was in Marion last week trying to buy a tract of mineral land with the LaRue vein running through it.

Pumping will commence at the old shaft at the Memphis mines by the middle of the month; and when the water is out a big force of miners will be put to work at once to mine fluor spar.

The new machinery has come into the depot for the Big Four Mining company and will be hauled out and erected at once. The machinery consists of two gasoline engines, a pump and fittings for a 16 foot log washer.

The water is out at the Klondyke mines and Mr. Reed has a big force of miners mining No. 1 fluor spar. Mr. Reed has made splendid headway in pumping out and fixing up this mine ready for taking out spar.

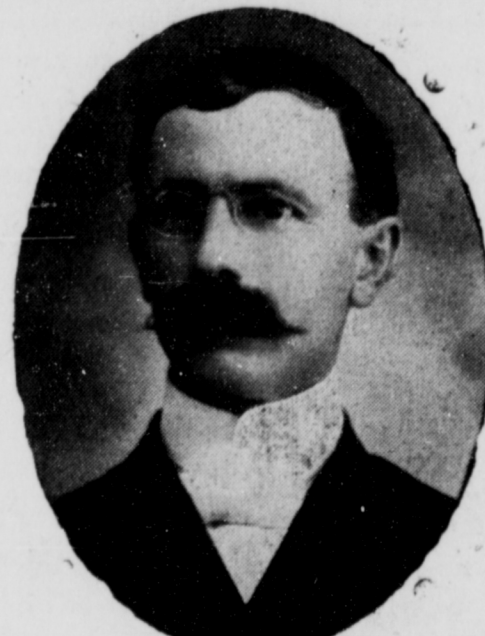
The Columbia Mining company opened up the Columbia vein on the north end of their property next to the Blue & Nunn "nine acres," and it shows very rich with lead and zinc. This shows that Blue & Nunn knew what they were doing when they refused to sell the "nine acres."

Julius Fohs, the general manager of the Marion Zinc company, says he will have the hundred ton mill now being erected under his supervision at the Riley mine ready for operation in a short time, and will open up and work enough shafts to keep the mill running night and day.

The stockholders of the Deer Creek Mining company went out to their mines Friday and those who had not been in the habit of going out there were very much surprised to see the big pile of lead and zinc that had been mined out in just sinking the shaft. The most of them took their wives to visit the mines. The ladies were so much impressed with it that they tried to persuade their husbands to quit farming and running drug stores and come to Marion to live, where they could give the mines more of their attention.

## Do Not Neglect Your Eyes!

AT THE NEW MARION



CALL AND SEE HIM

### Dr. C. L. Gray of Paducah, The Well-Known Optic Specialist,

Who has been making trips to Marion for some time, is now at the New Marion Hotel, where he will be located for about ten days. If you are having trouble of any kind with your eyes, you should call on him while he is here. He is an expert of years of experience in fitting glasses for the relief of headache and other nervous trouble and to improve vision when necessary. He guarantees satisfaction in every case, and will charge you nothing for examination and testing.

The United States Geological Survey has issued its report on the mineral resources of the United States, the total value of the production aggregating the stupendous sum of \$1,260,639,415, an increase of 16.02 per cent over that of the year 1901. Naturally, coal and iron are the most important of the mineral products of the country, although nearly all of the important metals have shown satisfactory increases. The publication appears later than usual, although owing to the desire of the Survey to make its compilation complete and as near correct as possible. The volume is well worth a place in the library of any mining man, the lead and zinc statistics being particularly valuable.

The mining and metallurgical exhibits of the Louisiana Purchase Exposition were sufficiently installed on Saturday, the opening day of the Exposition to warrant the statement that there has never been gathered together as representative and various a collection of the mineral resources of the United States, and the principal mining countries of the world as is located today in St. Louis. True, not all of the exhibits are in place, not all of them have been delivered to the Exposition company, but those exhibits which have been more or less completely installed are so interesting to the average mining man that those who do not have the opportunity to visit the Exposition will miss much in an educational way.

A Press reporter was in the village of Mexico, recently and was surprised to note the thousands of tons of fluor spar in the yards there ready for shipment. This spar belongs to the Kentucky Fluorspar and Marion Mineral companies, Mexico is the natural shipping point for a large scope of our mining territory, embracing the Riley, Pogue, Yandell, Asbridge, Tabb, Wheatcroft and other mines, and the town will certainly grow with the prospective expansion of the mining business and has a bright prospect just ahead. It has two general stores, well stocked and thriving, besides other business plants, and it has our old friend "Squire Myers, who is a whole team and a 'hoss' to spare, himself. Keep your eye on Mexico—she's a comin'.

In a letter received from Mr. F. E. Schoolfield, President of the Schoolfield-Spees Mining company, located near Carrollsburg, he says:

"Please find enclosed subscription to your paper. Send it to Mr. Michael Siebert, 1212 John street, Newport, Ky.

"I am President of the Schoolfield-Spees Mining Co., of Covington, Ky., and I had some specimens of spar and carbonate that I wished you to see.

We are sinking a shaft on the farm of Mr. Thomas Spees two and a half miles southeast of Carrollsburg; we have installed hoisting engines, boiler and pumps; we have both wall rocks and two veins spar and carbonate.

"That this section of Livingston county will certainly become a great mining district is without a doubt."

### All Bought Before the Advance.

More tobacco was delivered in Providence last week than has been seen here in many a day. Some of the streets were blocked with the stuff and many farmers failed to get unloaded the same day they came. The Gallaher company and H. P. Barrett factories received in the neighborhood of 500,000 pounds during the week. The former firm has its stemmery full, and is now filling the factory of Payne & Beeson. Deliveries have not been so brisk this week, but a considerable quantity has been received daily.—Providence Enterprise.

### GOING TO RUSSIA.

Jackson is soon to lose two and probably three, of her best known railroad men. John Lyon and A. O. Blake, engineers at present on the I. C., are arranging to leave here in a few days for New Orleans from which place they will sail for Russia. They will each run an engine on the Trans-Siberian railroad in that far off country; their runs will be from Moscow, the capital, to St. Petersburg.—Jackson Whig.

### A Correction.

Last week in giving the list of prizes awarded we got the name of Mason as winner in the higher arithmetic contest. The prize was won by John L. Jones of Repton, one of our boys, and we cheerfully make the correction.



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also : : : : :

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"Something Better" can be found  
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# MAY SALE!

Begins Saturday, May 14, 1904, and Closes Saturday, May 28, 1904.

**Matchless Bargains** created by weather conditions and as an extra inducement to get everyone to come to our store early before stocks are broken. We will hold a two weeks Special Sale which covers practically every department of our big store. Despite the unseasonable weather of April our splendid offerings have enabled us to eclipse all previous attainments. NOW WE PROPOSE TO MAKE THE MONTH OF MAY STAND HEAD AND SHOULDERS ABOVE ALL RECORDS BY GIVING YOU THE GREATEST BARGAINS THAT YOU WERE EVER OFFERED. All who have attended our former special sales know that we do just what we advertise, that it means a saving to all patrons of this store. This is a sale of new and seasonable goods, just at a time when you will be in need of new goods for Spring and Summer wear. Leave the lesson of economy by taking advantage of these money-saving prices. Come to the store that YOU KNOW has given you more BARGAINS than all the other stores of Marion combined. THIS IS ANOTHER TIME TO TEST THIS STORE. WE INVITE COMPARISON.

### Summer Dress Goods

OUR stock of Wash Goods is the Largest and Prettiest that we have ever shown. We have all of the New Goods, the New Weaves. THE STYLISH DRESS FABRICS: Toil-de-Lains, Drab-de-Voiles, Embroidered Swisses, Linen Tissues, Linen Suitings, Crashes, Batistes, Jap Silks, Etc.

Now in proving that we are offering bargains here is the only argument that is worth a cent to you—the prices.

Scotch Lawns, worth 6 cts **4c**  
Our Price - - -

A Pretty Line of Lawns and American Batistes, worth 81-3 **61c**  
to 10c. Our Price - - -

A full line of the Celebrated Primrose Batiste, always have **10c**  
sold for 20c. Our Price - - -

A finer line of these goods that have always sold for 20 **15c**  
to 25cents. Our Price - - -

A Swell Line of Drab-de-Voiles and Embroidered Swisses, worth 25 to 30c, for **20c**

Big Bargains in White Goods, India Linens, Crash Suitings and all other Dress and Shirt Waist Goods.

46 inch Voile Etamine, Black, Blue and Brown, regular \$1.00 Goods **78c**  
Sale Price - - -



### CLOTHING!

Now's the time to strike us on Clothing. Never before have we shown as large or pretty a line of high-class Clothing, and most all of them are the Celebrated Kirschbaum make, which simply means that they ARE THE BEST CLOTHING SOLD IN THIS COUNTRY.

During this sale there will be absolutely nothing reserved. We propose to CUT THE PRICE on every piece of Clothing in our house. All of our Big Spring Purchase of Bright, New Stylish Goods MUST GO. Now we know that if talk made bargains you could throw your money in the air anywhere about the town, and it would land on a GREAT BIG BARGAIN. BUT TALK DOESN'T DO IT. IT TAKES THE GOODS AND THE PRICES.



We have the goods; one of the Largest Stocks of Clothing ever shown in Marion and here's the prices. Read every one of them and come and see the goods.



All our Mens regular \$12.50 **\$9.48**  
Suits for - - -

All of our Mens regular \$15 to **\$11.48**  
\$17 Suits; best in Marion for - - -

A Big Lot of Mens Coats and Vests at about ONE-HALF PRICE.

All of our Mens regular \$6.50 and **\$5**  
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A Big Lot of Mens Fine Pants at about 75 per cent. of their value.

All our Mens regular \$9 and **\$7.48**  
\$10 Suits for - - -

### Bargains in Boys and Children's Clothing.



20 dozen Ladies Lile stripe hose, regular 20 a 25c hose **12c**  
Sale Price - - -

20 dozen Mens black hose, regular twenty & twenty five-ct. hose **10c**

We have bargains in Shoes. Our Stock is large and complete. Anything you want in Shoes you can buy at a bargain price.

### HERE ARE A COUPLE OF FLYERS IN LADIES OXFORDS:

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# CLIFTONS,

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## ALICE OF OLD VINCENNES

By MAURICE THOMPSON

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After control of her voice and sending into it a thrilling timbre. "You shall not harm him; you must not do it!"

Beverley was astounded when he saw her, the thing was so unexpected, so daring and done with such high, imperious force. Still it was but a realization of what he had imagined she would be upon occasion. He stood gazing at her, as did all the rest, while she faced Clark and the platoon of riflemen. To hear his own name pass her quivering lips in that tone and in that connection seemed to him a consecration.

"Would you be more savage than your Indian prisoner?" she went on; "less grateful than he for a life saved? I did him a small—very small—service once, and in memory of that he saved Lieutenant Beverley's life, because—because—she faltered for a single breath, then added clearly and with magnetic sweetness—"because Lieutenant Beverley loved me and because I loved him. This Indian Long Hair showed a gratitude that could overcome his strongest passion. You white men should be ashamed to fall below his standard."

Her words went home. It was as if the beauty of her face, the magnetism of her lissome and symmetrical form, the sweet fire of her eyes and the passionate appeal of her voice gave what she said a new and irresistible force of truth. When she spoke of Beverley's love for her and declared her love for him there was not a manly heart in all the garrison that did not suddenly beat quicker and feel a strange, sweet waft of tenderness. A mother somewhere, a wife, a daughter, a sister, a sweetheart, called through that voice of absolute womanhood.

"Beverley, what can I do?" muttered Clark, his bronze face as pale as it could possibly become.

"Do!" thundered Beverley. "Do! You cannot murder that man. Hamilton is the man you should shoot! He offered large rewards, he inflamed the passions and fed the love of rum and the cupidity of the poor wild men like the one standing yonder. Yet you take him prisoner and treat him with distinguished consideration. Hamilton offered a large sum for me taken alive, a smaller one for my scalp. Long Hair saved me. You let Hamilton stand yonder in perfect safety while you shoot the Indian. Shame on you, Colonel Clark! Shame on you if you do it."

Alice stood looking at the stalwart commander while Beverley was pouring forth his torrent of scathing reference to Hamilton, and she quickly saw that Clark was moved. The moment was ripe for the finishing stroke. They say it is genius that avails itself of opportunity. Beverley knew the fight was won when he saw what followed. Alice suddenly left Long Hair and ran to Colonel Clark, who felt her warm, strong arms loop around him for a single point of time never to be effaced from his memory; then he saw her kneeling at his feet, her hands upstretched, her face a glorious prayer, while she pleaded the Indian's cause and won it.

Doubtless, while we all rather feel that Clark was weak to be thus swayed by a girl, we cannot quite blame him. Alice's flag was over him. He had heard her history from Beverley's cunning lips. He actually believed that Hamilton was the real culprit, and besides he felt not a little nauseated with executing Indians. A good excuse to have an end of it all did not go begging.

But Long Hair was barely gone over the horizon from the fort, as free and as villainous a savage as ever trod the earth, when a discovery made by Uncle Jazon caused Clark to hate himself for what he had done.

The old scout picked up the scalp which Long Hair had flung at Hamilton and examined it with odious curiosity. He had lingered on the spot with no other purpose than to get possession of that ghastly relic. Since losing his own scalp the subject of crown locks had grown upon his mind until its fascination was irresistible. He studied the hair of every person he saw as a physiognomist studies faces. He held the gruesome thing up before him, scrutinizing it with the expression of a connoisseur who has discovered on a grimy canvas the signature of an old master.

"Sae' bleu!" he presently broke forth. "Well, I'll be—Look-ee yer, George Clark! Come yer an' look. Ye've been sold ag'in. Take a squint, if ye please!"

Colonel Clark, with his hands crossed behind him, his face thoughtfully contracted, was walking slowly to and fro a little way off. He turned about when Uncle Jazon spoke.

"What now, Jazon?"

"A mighty heap right now, that's what. Come yer an' let me show ye. Yer a fine sort o' celt now, ain't ye?"

The two men walked toward each other and met. Uncle Jazon held up the scalp with one hand, pointing at it with the index finger of the other.

"This here scalp come off'n Rene de Ronville's head."

"And who is he?"

"Who's he? Ye may well ax that! He wuz a Frenchman. He wuz a fine young feller o' this town. He killed 'cor'ral o' Hamilton's an' tuck ter the woods a month or two ago. Hamilton

offered a lot o' money for 'im or 'is scalp, an' Long Hair went in fer gittin' it. Now ye knows the whole racket. An' ye lets that Injun go! An' thet same Injun he mighty nigh kicked my ribs inter my stomach!"

Uncle Jazon's feelings were visible and audible, but Clark could not resent the contempt of the old man's looks and words. He felt that he deserved far more than he was receiving. Nor was Uncle Jazon wrong. Rene de Ronville never came back to little Adrienne Bourcier, although, being kept entirely ignorant of her lover's fate, she waited and dreamed and hoped throughout more than two years, after which there is no further record of her life.

Clark, Beverley and Uncle Jazon consulted together and agreed among themselves that they would hold profoundly secret the story of the scalp. To have made it public would have exasperated the creoles and set them violently against Clark, a thing heavy with disaster for all his future plans. As it was, the release of Long Hair caused a great deal of dissatisfaction and mutinous talk. Even Beverley now felt that the execution ordered by the commander ought to have been sternly carried out.

A day or two later, however, the whole dark affair was closed forever by a bit of confidence on the part of Uncle



She pleaded the Indian's cause.

Jazon when Beverley dropped into his hut one evening to have a smoke with him.

The rain was over, the sky shone like one vast luminary, with a nearly full moon and a thousand stars re-enforcing it. Up from the south poured one of those balmy, accidental wind floods sometimes due in February on the Wabash, full of tropical dream hints, yet edged with a winter chill that smacks of treachery. Uncle Jazon was unusually talkative. He may have had a deep draft of liquor; at all events Beverley had little room for a word.

"Well, ben' as it's 'twixt us as is bosom frien's," the old fellow presently said, "I'll jes' show ye somepin' poorty."

"He picked the wick of a lamp and took down his bunch of scalps."

"I hev been a-addin' one more to keep company o' mine an' the others."

He separated the latest acquisition from the rest of the wisp and added, with a heinous chuckle:

"This 'n's Long Hair's!"

And so it was. Beverley knocked the ashes from his pipe and rose to go.

"Wen they kiks yer Uncle Jazon's ribs," the old man added, "they'd jes' as well lay down an' give up, for he's goin' to salvervate 'em."

Then, after Beverley had passed out of the cabin, Uncle Jazon chirruped after him:

"Mebbe ye'd better not tell leetle Alice. The pore leetle gal hev hed worry 'nough."

### CHAPTER XXII.

AND SO IT ENDED.

FEW days after the surrender of Hamilton a large boat, the *Willing*, arrived from Kaskaskia. It was well manned and heavily armed. Clark fitted it out before beginning his march and expected it to be of great assistance to him in the reduction of the fort, but the high waters and the floating driftwood delayed its progress, so that its disappointed crew saw Alice's flag floating bright and high when their eyes first looked upon the dull little town from far down the swollen river. There was much rejoicing, however, when they came ashore and were enthusiastically greeted by the garrison and populace. A courier whom they picked up on the Ohio came with them. He bore dispatches from Governor Henry of Virginia to Clark and a letter for Beverley from his father.

The letter to Beverley from his father was somewhat disturbing. It bore the tidings of his mother's falling health. This made it easier for the young lieutenant to accept from Clark the assignment to duty with a party detailed for the purpose of escorting Hamilton, Farnsworth and several other British officers to Williamsburg, Va. It also gave him a most powerful assistance in persuading Alice to marry him at once, so as to go with him on what proved to be a delightful wedding journey through the great wilderness to the Old Dominion. Spring's verdure burst abroad on the sunny hills as they slowly went their way. The mating birds sang in every blooming brake and grove by which they passed, and in their joyous hearts they heard the bubbling of love's eternal fountain.

Our story must end here, because at this point its current flows away forever from old Vincennes, and it was only of the post on the Wabash that we set out to make a record. What befell Alice and Beverley after they

went to Virginia we could go on to tell, but that would be another story. Suffice it to say, they lived happily ever after, or at least somewhat beyond threescore and ten, and left behind them a good name and numerous descendants.



## GRADUAL DECLINE

This is the fate of sufferers from Kidney trouble, as the disease is so insidious that often people have serious Kidney trouble without knowing the real cause of their illness, as diseased kidneys allow the impurities to stay in the system and attack the other organs. This accounts for the many different symptoms of Kidney Disease.

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went to Virginia we could go on to tell, but that would be another story. Suffice it to say, they lived happily ever after, or at least somewhat beyond threescore and ten, and left behind them a good name and numerous descendants.

How Alice found out her family in Virginia we are not informed, but after a lapse of some years from the date of her marriage there appears in one of her letters a reference to an estate inherited from her Tarleton ancestors, and her name appears in old records signed in full, Alice Tarleton Beverley. A descendant of hers still treasures the locket, with its broken miniature and battered crest, which won Beverley's life from Long Hair, the savage. Beside it, as carefully guarded, is the Indian charm stone that stopped Hamilton's bullet over Alice's heart. The rapiers have somehow disappeared, and there is a tradition in the Tarleton family that they were given by Alice to Gaspard Roussillon, who after Mme. Roussillon's death in 1790 went to New Orleans, where he stayed a year or two before embarking for France, whither he took with him the beautiful pair of colechemardes and Jean, the hunchback.

Uncle Jazon lived in Vincennes many years after the war was over, but he died at Natchez, Miss., when ninety-three years old. He said with almost his last breath that he couldn't shoot very well even in his best days, but that he had upon various occasions "jes' kind o' happened to hit a Injun in the left eye." They used to tell a story as late as General Harrison's stay in Vincennes about how Uncle Jazon buried his collection of scalps with great funeral solemnity as his part of the celebration of peace and independence about the year 1784.

Good old Father Beret died suddenly soon after Alice's marriage and departure for Virginia. He was found lying face downward on the floor of his cabin. Near him on a smooth part of a puncheon were the mangled fragments of a letter which he had been arranging as if to read its contents. Doubtless it was the same letter brought to him by Rene de Ronville, as recorded in an early chapter of our story. The fragments were gathered up and buried with him. His dust lies under the present Church of St. Xavier, the dust of as noble a man and as true a priest as ever sacrificed himself for the good of humanity.

In after years Simon Kenton visited Beverley and Alice in their Virginia home. To his dying day he was fond of describing their happy and hospitable welcome and the luxuries to which they introduced him. They lived in a stately white mansion on a hill overlooking a vast tobacco plantation where hundreds of negro slaves worked and sang by day and frolicked by night. Their oldest child was named Fitzhugh Gaspard. Kenton died in 1836.

There remains but one little fact worth recording before we close the book. In the year 1800, on the Fourth of July, a certain leading French family of Vincennes held a patriotic reunion during which a little old flag was produced and its story told. Some one happily proposed that it be sent to Mrs. Alice Tarleton Beverley with a letter of explanation and in profound recognition of the glorious circumstances which made it the true flag of the great northwest.

And so it happened that Alice's little banner went to Virginia and is still preserved in an old mansion not very far from Monticello, but it seems likely that the Wabash valley will soon again possess the precious relic. The marriage engagement of Miss Alice Beverley to a young Indiana officer, distinguished for his patriotism and military ardor, has been announced at the old Beverley homestead on the hill, and the high contracting parties have planned that the wedding ceremony shall take place under the famous little flag on the anniversary of Clark's capture of Post Vincennes. When the bride shall be brought to her new home on the banks of the Wabash the flag will come with her, but Uncle Jazon will not be on hand with his falsetto shout, "Vive la banniere d'Alice Roussillon! Vive Zhorzh Vasinon!"

THE END.

### CARRSVILLE.

Will Bridges spent Sunday in Tolu.

Mrs. Slusser is critically ill, Drummer Harry Watson was a caller here Wednesday.

Miss Lena Brewster, of Lola, spent a few days with her parents last week.

The Misses Blick, of Sugar Grove visited uncle Jim Brewster last week.

Hubert Chittenden of Hampton was beating the bushes in this vicinity for a school last week.

Wright Gwartney and wife, of Memphis, are visiting E. B. Gwartney.

W. Hugh Watson spent Saturday in Tolu.

Candidates are numerous hereabout. Beside our own, quite a number frequent here to see the boys. Evidently they think the promise is to the hustler.

Rev. Smithson was in the M. E. pulpit Sunday, while Rev. Gibbs conducted services at the C. P. church.

Owing to some little hitch in the machinery, the Schoolfield-Spees mines are not running this week. Boss Spees has, however, had his force at work getting ready the wood, coal, etc., and on the arrival of some additional machinery work in the main shaft will begin. The prospect of a "find" is flattering.

### Disastrous Wrecks.

Carelessness is responsible for many a railway wreck and the same causes are making human wrecks of sufferers from throat and lung troubles. But since the advent of Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds, even the worst cases can be cured, and hopeless resignation is no longer necessary. Mrs. Lols Cragg of Dorchester, Mass., is one of many whose life was saved by Dr. King's New Discovery. This great remedy is guaranteed for all throat and lung diseases by Woods & Orme. Price 50c. and \$1.00. Trial bottles free.

### I. C. TIME TABLE.

#### NORTH BOUND.

Lve. Princeton	6:10 a.m.	2:40 p.m.
Arv. Marion	7:00 a.m.	3:33 p.m.
" Sturgis	7:44 a.m.	4:18 p.m.
" Morgantown	8:30 a.m.	5:05 p.m.
" Henderson	9:20 a.m.	6:00 p.m.
" Evansville	10:10 a.m.	6:45 p.m.

#### SOUTH BOUND.

Lve. Evansville	8:30 a.m.	4:00 p.m.
Arv. Henderson	9:20 a.m.	4:49 p.m.
" Morgantown	10:00 a.m.	5:45 p.m.
" Sturgis	11:00 a.m.	6:38 p.m.
" Marion	11:45 a.m.	7:22 p.m.
" Princeton	12:40 a.m.	8:20 p.m.

### An Open Letter.

From the Chapin, S. C., News: Early in the spring my wife and I were taken with diarrhoea and so severe were the pains that we called a physician who prescribed for us, but his medicines failed to give any relief. A friend who had a bottle of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy on hand gave each of us a dose and we at once felt the effects. I procured a bottle and before using the entire contents we were entirely cured. It is a wonderful remedy and should be found in every house hold. H. C. Bailey, Editor. This remedy is for sale by Woods & Orme.

## MARION WOOLEN MILLS

WILL BEGIN BUSINESS MAY 1.

They have in their employ a wool comber of 45 years experience and will guarantee first class work on first class material, and will replace same on return of roles to our mill where fault is due to our neglect or carelessness. A \$25.00 Bed Room Suite will be given away. Every customer of Marion Woolen Mills will get a free draw at this suite for every 10 pounds of wool to be carded and those who buy their roles from us to the amount of 2 pounds of first class wool at 40 cts. per pound or 4 pounds second class at 20 cts. per pound. There will be a committee of three disinterested men who shall seal a number between 1 and 1,000 and hold that number until December 1, 1904, when the contest shall close. Even the committee will not know what the lucky number is.

Two will choose 12 numbers, place them in a cigar box, shake them well, place them on a table, blindfold the third man, who is holding an envelope. They lead him to the box, then the other two will take their seats in the rear of the room. The man who wears the hood-wink will raise the lid, draw one of the 12 tickets, placing it in the envelope and sealing it. He will then close the lid to the box, remove the hood-wink, take the box and remaining tickets and place them in the fire, burn them up. One thousand tickets will be placed in envelopes same as lucky number and placed in shoe case. Customers will draw one envelope from the case, place his name on envelope and drop in ballot box, keys to which are held by the committee, which will be opened on closing day of contest by the committee. The one holding same number as held by committee gets the suite free. Not a living soul will know what the lucky number is until close of contest and opened by the committee, who will take and carefully examined customers' numbers. All who ship or send their wool shall get a draw.

## Marion Woolen Mills

MARION, KENTUCKY.

### Whooping Cough.

"In the spring of 1901 my children had whooping cough," says Mrs. D. W. Capps, of Capps, Ark. "I used Chamberlain's Cough Remedy with the most satisfactory results. I think this is the best remedy I have ever seen for whooping cough." This remedy keeps the cough loose, lessens the severity and frequency of the coughing spells and counteracts any tendency toward pneumonia. For sale by Woods & Orme.

### Stray Notice.

Taken up as a stray by J. W. Hughes one half mile west of Weston, Crittenden county, Ky., on the 10th day of November, 1903, one red and white spotted heifer calf about one and a half years old appraised by me at six dollars.

Geo. D. Hughes, I. P. C. C.

### Accept No Substitute.

There is nothing just as good for Maria, Chills and Fever as Dr. Mendenhall's Chill and Fever Cure. Take it as a general tonic and at all time in place of quinine. If it fails to give satisfaction mail the front of the cartoon to J. C. Mendenhall, Evansville, Ind., and get your money back.

### Fine Stock for Sale.

One Registered Red Poll Bull Calf, Poland China Hogs, large enough for breeding, each \$10.  
Bronze Turkey Eggs, per doz., \$2.50.  
Barred Plymouth Rock Eggs, per 15, \$1.00.  
There are bargains in the above stock.  
W. L. KENNEDY, Lola, Ky.

### For Sale.

House and 1 acre lot in East Marion on Wilson Avenue. House has 4 rooms and hall, veranda and porch and pantry, all necessary outbuildings. Good cistern and never failing well, orchard of 50 trees, all varieties. J. S. BROSSELL.

### A Positive Necessity.

Having to lay upon my bed for 14 days from a severely bruised leg, I only found relief when I used a bottle of Ballard's Snow Liniment. I can cheerfully recommend it as the best medicine for bruises ever sent to the afflicted. It has now become a positive necessity upon myself. D. R. Byrnes, Merchants, Doversville, Texas. 25c., 50c., \$1.00. Sold by Woods and Orme.

We will for 30 days accept subscriptions for the Daily World, one year for \$2.00

### Druggists

Do not hesitate to recommend Kodol Dyspepsia Cure to their friends and customers. Indigestion causes more ill health than anything else. It deranges the stomach and brings on all manner of disease. Kodol Dyspepsia Cure digests what you eat, cures indigestion, dyspepsia and all stomach disorders. Kodol is not only a perfect digestant, but a tissue building tonic as well. Renewed health, perfect strength and increased vitality follow its use.

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### The Press.

S. M. JENKINS,  
Editor and Publisher.

ONE YEAR - ONE DOLLAR

THURSDAY, MAY 12, 1904.

Jailer Albert Travis was visiting in Missouri last week.

Rev. J. O. Smithson, of Carrsville, was here last week.

Henry Walker, agent for the Magnet Laundry office at McConnell store.

There will be services at the C. P. church next Sunday at 11 o'clock.

Miss Katie Barnett, of Tolu, attended the School Tournament in this city.

Mrs. Glenn, formerly of this city, but now of Smitland, is visiting friends here.

Mrs. J. P. Pierce and little daughter, Miriam, visited friends in Madisonville and Nobo last week.

Congressman James and wife reached this city Sunday morning from Washington.

Mrs. Carrie Thomas has left Memphis and is now visiting in Christian county, Ky.

Mrs. John Quinn, of Sullivan, attended the Commencement exercises here last week.

Dr. T. A. Frazer has purchased the Loyd residence on Depot street and will move into it this week.

Mrs. Belle James, of Paducah, was here last week visiting relatives here and in the county.

W. R. Cruce, of Texas, was visiting his mother in this county last week, and left for St. Louis Sunday.

Our work can't be excelled. Linen finish, snow white. In fact, O. K. Henry Walker, ag't. MAGNET LAUNDRY.

Mrs. John Quiry, of Sullivan, was visiting here last week at her brother's, R. L. Nunn, and her sister's, Mrs. J. N. Boston.

J. Wess Lamb has purchased the Clark estate's interest in the Marion Milling Company. He will have charge of the engine room.

The trade between R. E. Pickens and J. M. McChesney for a half interest in the latter's grocery store, was not consummated.

Mrs. Columbus Neely returned home yesterday after a short visit to her sister Mrs. S. H. Cromwell, on Upper Main.—Henderson Gleaner.

**Our Coquillard wagon is equal to any wagon sold.**

Marion Hardware Co.

L. C. Perry and wife will move to Florida soon from Paducah. Mrs. Perry was Mrs. Susie James, of this county.

A. W. Wilborn, of Manville, I. T., is visiting his friends in town. He is a son of A. Wilborn and is well pleased with his home in the west.

Jim Wilborn, of Mansville, arrived here Saturday on a visit to his father, S. A. Wilborn, of this county. He is now afflicted with a severe case of measles.

Rev. T. V. Joiner preached morning and evening at the Presbyterian church last Sunday, the pastor, Rev. S. J. Martin, being at Tolu to fill his appointment there.

For nice tomato plants, phone 116. Geo. Stone, of Kelsey, was here Monday.

Rev. W. T. Oakley's new house is completed.

Mrs. R. L. Orme is visiting her sister, Mrs. J. W. Blue.

Miss Daisy Smart was the guest of Miss Sue Moore Sunday.

Mrs. G. W. Douglas has been sick for some time at her home near town.

Mrs. J. V. Guthrie has been confined to her room for some time.

Mrs. C. M. Dillard, of Ridgeway, Ill., is visiting her parents, Isaac Gass and wife.

Miss Rennie Thurman, of Blackford, is visiting Miss Iva Hicklin, of our city, this week.

Born to the wife of T. A. Conway, May 9th, a fine little daughter, weighing 9½ pounds.

H. E. Minner, who has been attending the Marion Graded School, returned to his home in the country Sunday.

**We have both Hoosier and Campbell corn drills.**

Marion Hardware Co.

Mrs. D. E. Woods and children, of Decatur, Ill., left last week for their home, after a pleasant visit to friends and relatives here.

Miss Naomi and Master Cecil Minner of Tolu, were guests of the family of R. D. Moore, of this place the latter part of last week.

Rev. R. E. C. Lawson, of Henderson, arrived in the city Monday evening to assist Rev. S. J. Martin in a protracted meeting at the Presbyterian church.

The City Mills (M. A. Wing proprietor) has Graham flour, fresh and nice. Try it and you'll always use it. It is not only healthful for well folks, but is highly recommended for invalids.

Mrs. Herbert Gibson Whitney, who has been here visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Dorr, left Tuesday at noon for her home at Water Valley, Mississippi.

**We are having good sales on our original Tennessee wagon, the lightest running wagon made, at prices never sold before.**

Marion Hardware Co.

Miss Bonnie Fugate, of Dixon, who has been visiting her sister, Miss Della, at the home of Dr. T. H. Cossitt and other friends in the city, returned home Wednesday. Miss Bonnie is stenographer for Jackson & Jackson, a large business firm of that city.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Cox had a reunion of their family last Sunday. All of his children and grand children being present on the occasion, with the exceptions of Mr. Minos Cox, of Birmingham, Ky., a son, and Mrs. Bernice Flynn, a grand-daughter of Groenview, Ill.—Hustler.

Judge Barry, of Benton, spent Sunday and Monday in the city. He is the editor of the Tribune-Democrat of his town and is a man of broad mind and wide experience. He has traveled extensively and included Klondike in his sight seeing.

We have all the leading and popular brands of breaking plows, double shovels, harrows and cultivators. For sale at prices less than you have been paying.

**Bicycle repairing**  
Creed Taylor.

Misses Addie Nunn, of Rodney, and Willie Clement, of Tolu, were visiting Miss Ora Hodges, of this city, the first of the week.

Miss Della Fugate, who has been an efficient assistant in the Press composing rooms, returned to her home in Dixon Tuesday.

**Many bargains to be had from our bargain and ten cent counter.**

Marion Hardware Co.

J. E. Chittenden, editor of the forthcoming Crittenden Record, came down from Hopkinsville Tuesday and will make his home in this city.

W. H. Copper returned Saturday from a four weeks' stay at Hot Springs, Ark. His health has been greatly benefited.

If you weigh on Week's Standard Scales you are sure of accurate weight. I solicit your business, promising moderate prices and fair treatment to all.

JOHN SUTHERLAND.

J. O. Gray and wife, Mrs. Robert Boyd and Miss Susie Boyd, all of Salem attended the Commencement exercises here last week. Miss Nellie, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gray, was one of the graduates in the 8th grade.

# Ice Ice Ice

**We are the people to buy ice from. We are in the ice business for the season. Everybody here knows who to depend on for ice the season thro'. We will sure appreciate your trade for the season and promise to give perfect satisfaction. Our wagon is always ready to bring your ice any-time you ring 23. So give us a ring.**

Respectfully,

## Hearin & Son.

Frank Ackeridge's residence in Maxwell's addition, is nearing completion. P. S. Maxwell has opened up streets in that part of the city and has some beautiful lots over there.

We sell the high grade Hammer paint, as good as any paint sold, and guaranteed for five years, for \$1.05 a gallon. Others charge you \$1.50 a gallon for same grade of paint.

Marion Hardware Co.

Mrs. E. H. Taylor died at Levas, Wednesday afternoon, May 11th, at the residence of her daughter, Mrs. W. H. Larue. She was 76 years of age. Her son, Gid Taylor, is a resident of Marion, but was with his mother when she died. Funeral at Union church Thursday, May 12th.

Marion Clark, who had the contract to repaint and paper the Presbyterian church, has completed the work and it is done in a highly satisfactory way, showing that Marion's ability if, indeed, not genius in his line of business. The church is beautiful and has been much admired.

Mr. Frank E. Haymond, the popular teacher in the short hand department of Lockyear's Business College of Evansville, came to this city Saturday to attend the commencement exercises of Marion Graded School. While here he drove a few miles out in the country and visited a number of our lead, spar and zinc mines. He also paid this office a pleasant call.

Dr. R. J. Morris will leave Monday for Louisville, to attend the meeting of the Kentucky State Dental Association, and will be absent all the week. Any orders or inquiries regarding work will be looked after by Miss Birdie McNeely, who will be at the office during the week.

Mrs. Courtney Watts died at her home in Smithland Monday of heart failure at the age of seventy years. She was the widow of Courtney Watts, well known as a member of the big firm of Given, Watts & Co., which failed years ago, and also as the author of the book, "Chronicles of a Kentucky Settlement," a work possessing considerable literary merit as well as historical interest.

J. N. Boston has absorbed the Moore O Paris Lumber Co., which again gives him control of the lumber market in Marion. Mr. Boston has always been equitable and just in his dealings, and will now be in position to quote lower prices than ever. He will take in Mr. A. H. Paris as a partner. Mr. Paris buying one-fourth interest in both establishments—the Boston Lumber & Planing Mills and the Moore & Paris Lumber Company.

The wife of William Lynch, who lives on the farm of George Foster, near town, was badly burned Monday. She went out in the field where her husband was engaged in burning brush, and while passing near a burning brush-heap, her clothing were ignited and in a moment she was completely enveloped in flames. Mr. Lynch succeeded in extinguishing the flames, but not until his wife was seriously burned. Dr. Shively was called to see her and says though she is in a dangerous condition, he has hopes of her recovery.

Mr. Anton Letkus, has returned from Smithland to make this his permanent home. He says candidates are thick as flies in the summer time for all the offices in old Livingston, and that there are more candidates than voters, especially for jailer and county attorney, but that Oliver C. Lasher, a candidate for county attorney, has them all beat, in his opinion, for that office. He also says that the race between Landram and Evans will be a close one, as both men are immensely popular.

Mr. G. H. Kirk and Miss Ethel Daniel, both of whom reside near Weston, came to town Monday and after securing the necessary papers, were united in marriage in the office of the county clerk, County Judge Towery officiating. A number of interested spectators witnessed the ceremony. The bride is a daughter of Dr. D. M. Daniel.

The grocery store of A. M. Gilbert was the scene of a rather lively combat Saturday night between Claude Champion and Rochester Wallingford, each of whom was endeavoring to place on the most vulnerable part of the others anatomy a knock-out blow. Judge Gilbert by extraordinary dexterity, succeeded in extricating the combatants out on the street where kind-hearted bystanders effected a truce and only a few scratches were visible to show that the war-like parties had ever "crossed the Yolu."

Cashier J. B. Hubbard, of the Farmers Bank, was summoned by a telegram last week to the death-bed of his brother, Edward S. Hubbard, who died at Sumner, Miss. Mr. Hubbard was in his 55th year, having been born December 10th, 1849, in Hopkins county, Ky. Fifteen years ago he moved to Mississippi. He leaves a wife and four children, two of whom are sons in the telephone company's employ at Clarksdale. Mr. Hubbard's sickness was of short duration, being first attacked with la grippe and afterward with paralysis. He had many friends and acquaintances here and in this county.

Attorney John A. Moore went to Blackford Friday, and while on his way from his hotel to the depot to take a train home, he was assaulted from ambush, his assailant striking him three licks before the attorney could realize where he was "at." Bringing himself together, however, he retaliated, dealing his antagonist a blow which felled him to the ground and was giving him blow after blow in the place where they would do the most good, when the depot agent induced him to let up as the train was waiting for him. The assailant proved to be a man named Thomson, and no cause is known for the attack except that Mr. Moore had made a speech for the prosecution in a case in which Thompson figured as the accused.

Dr. C. L. Gray, of Paducah, the well-known Optic Specialist, who has for some time been making trips to Marion in the interest of his profession, and who is now located at the New Marion Hotel until May 19th, is one of the enterprising charter members and board of directors of the Southern School of Optics recently granted a charter by the State of Kentucky and which will be open for students about the 1st of June in Paducah. A school for the practical study of errors of refraction of the human eye and methods for their correction. This is an important enterprise and is as far as we know, the only school of its kind in the state. The fact that people are watching more closely after their eyes and that defective vision has become in recent years more common than formerly, makes the practice of optics a most careful necessary profession.

### To The Public.

It has been circulated that my scales are of a cheap make and of no account. This is an injustice to myself as well as to the manufacturers of the Celebrated Week's U. S. Standard Scales. I fully guarantee the accuracy of my scales and solicit your business, promising promptness and accuracy at all times.

Ask Dr. J. O. Dixon and A. A. Deboe how they are pleased with the Week's Scales now in use on their farms.

Yours truly, JOHN SUTHERLAND.

A new plate glass front will be installed in the front of the old postoffice room next week.

Miss Mary Belle Maxwell left Wednesday night for Cincinnati to visit relatives.

Miss Clara Crawford, of Tolu, who was here at commencement, returned home Monday.

Mrs. Walter Blackburn and little daughter returned to Louisville Wednesday at noon after a pleasant visit to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Hurley.

Rev. R. E. C. Lawson is delivering some fine sermons at the Presbyterian church and much interest is being taken in the meeting. Large congregations attend every service and a good meeting is predicted.

Oliver Hurley and Wm. Wooldridge have bought out the butcher business of J. W. Givens & Sons, and will conduct a first class shop at the old stand. They will supply their patrons with the best meats the market affords at all times, and will have cold storage refrigerators and all necessary fixtures to conduct a butcher business that will be a pride to the city. Everything clean and nice. Give the boys a call.

In referring to Tournaments and Commencements and all the talent Marion has displayed in those contests, one thing should not be overlooked, and that is the music furnished by the Marion Orchestra, which is composed of home talent as follows: Robert Fisk, James Travis and wife, Lottie Gilbert, Miss Bernice Driskill, and Mrs. S. M. Jenkins. Their selections were choice and the renditions as sweet as were ever heard in this city. The Orchestra received many compliments, which gratified them very much, as this was their first performance in public.

Marion looks like a city of movers. H. D. Wooldridge moved to the Lem James place on the Ford's Ferry road; Dr. Frazer has purchased and moved to the Loyd residence on Wilson Avenue; C. J. Black and wife are preparing the Roney property; Dr. Shirley has rented the Olive residence on East Bellville street; Ellis Grissom has moved to the house recently occupied by Grant Davidson; Grant has moved to the residence of the Methodist presiding elder; Robt. Fisk has moved to Mrs. Ann Gilbert's; Gid Taylor has taken the house vacated by Fisk, while John Nunn and wife have gone to house-keeping in the house just made vacant by Taylor.

The many friends of the Hon. W. J. Stone in Marion and vicinity, as well as all over the State, will regret to learn of a serious accident which happened to him last week. He was driving a young horse on the road near Eddyville, when the animal took fright and dashed down the road toward Kuttawa. At a turn in the road the buggy was overturned and the Captain hurled to the ground. He was terribly cut and a physician was called to sew up the wounds. The horse continued to run and demolished the buggy. Late news from the bedside of the Captain is to the effect that he is resting some better, though still confined to his bed. His head was severely cut and his shoulders, arms and hands are very sore and swollen, but his family have hope that he will be up in a few days.

### Marriage License.

G. H. Kirk to Miss Ethel Daniel.  
Jim Marvel to Cora Lee Barnes.  
Lucien Vosin to Miss Eula E Ramage

### FOR SALE.

Corn, 50c per bu., hay, 50c per cwt., 2 milk cows. J. M. PHILLIPS, Tolu, Ky.



#### As Viewed By Morganfield.

The Ohio Valley School Tournament closed a successful three day's meeting at Marion last Saturday. It was participated in by pupils from the schools of Hopkinsville, Marion, Corydon and Morganfield. The honors were carried off by Marion, with Hopkinsville second, Morganfield third and Corydon fourth.

Morganfield won six medals and lost twenty-five, being entered in thirty one events.

The representatives from this school who captured medals were Verite Kaufman, Latin, high school; Katherine Dyer, geography, seventh grade; Virginia Dyer, arithmetic, fifth grade; Emma Noe, vocal solo; Pratt Spaulding, instrumental solo; Allen Hopgood, running broad jump.

In most of the contests Morganfield lost because the opponents were a little too strong, but in two, however, we lost because the rules were disregarded, while in three events in music the almost unanimous opinion of the audience, so far as expressions were heard, was for Morganfield.

The contest taught the representatives of our school a great deal about our strength and weakness that will be of use to the school.

The Morganfield delegation was splendidly entertained by the good people of Marion and shall always feel under many obligations to them.

Next year it is quite likely the tournament will be held in Morganfield, at which meeting our school shall hope for better results.

In speaking of the contest Supt. A. C. Burton said that it was proved conclusively to him that our school was easily first in music and public speaking; that we are second in Latin and mathematics, and that in the other branches we have no cause to be ashamed.

In the ball game between Hopkinsville and Morganfield the score was 23 to 11 in favor of Morganfield; in the game with Marion the score was 7 to 5 in favor of Marion.—Morganfield Sun.

An honest confession is good for the soul, Bro. Hart. You Union county folk are lords of creation when it comes to fine farms and stock, but when you reach mineral wealth and bright, well-tutored children, we have you beaten.

#### Herbine

Will overcome indigestion and dyspepsia; regulate the bowels and cure liver and kidney complaints. It is the best blood purifier and invigorator in the world. It is purely vegetable, perfectly harmless, and should you be a sufferer from disease, you will use it if you are wise.

R. N. Andrews, Editor and McGr. Cocoa and Rockledge News, Cocoa, Fla., writes: "I have used your Herbine in my family, and find it a most excellent medicine. Its effects upon myself have been a marked benefit. I recommend it unhesitatingly." 50c. Sold by Woods & Orme.

#### Nina Hilt.

Mrs. J. T. Akin returned Saturday from a short trip to Cadiz and Hopkinsville in the interest of her novel, Nina Hilt, which is now receiving wide-spread attention. She established agencies in both cities. The Hopkinsville New Era of Tuesday says:

Mrs. Elizabeth Hall Akin, whose home is in Princeton, is the author of a novel entitled "Nina Hilt." The book is on sale at Armistead's drug store and the local agent is Miss Bessie Clark. The Princeton Banner says of it: "Every one remembers Lord Byron's famous saying, 'One morning I awoke and found myself famous,' and this is, in a more temperate degree, true of Mrs. Elizabeth Akin, who has lately had issued from the press a novel bearing the euphonious title of 'Nina Hilt,' which is now being widely read and commented upon. The book is meeting with a daily increasing sale, and a second edition will no doubt be demanded."

Mrs. Akin, who is the step-mother of Mrs. Hugh Hurley of this city, was here last week and canvassed the town on her book. She met with flattering success.

#### When the Sap Rises

Weak lungs should be careful. Coughs and colds are dangerous then. One Minute Cough Cure cures coughs and colds and gives strength to the lungs. Mrs. G. E. Fenner, of Marion, Ind., says, "I suffered with a cough until I run down in weight from 145 to 92 lbs. I tried a number of remedies to no avail until I used One Minute Cough Cure. Four bottles of this wonderful remedy cured me entirely of the cough, strengthened my lungs and restored me to my normal weight, health and strength. Sold by all druggists."

#### "A LITTLE NONSENCE."

FRIEND JENKINS: In the course of human events it becomes necessary to perpetrate a little "nonsense" "once and a while."

It may have been a dream or it may have been "a communion of congenial spirits." However, the colloquy was between your honorable self and my old friend Nemo. 'Twas thusly—

Editor—"Write an able article carefully reviewing the topography and population of Central Tibet, the dangers incident from travel from men and beasts; give the line of Col. Younghusband's probable march, and your conclusions regarding Col. Younghusband's fate."

Nemo—"I don't know anything about it."

Editor—"Neither does anybody else. It's a splendid subject for fine writing."

Nemo—"Yes, and let me tell you alphabetically speaking, sir, agreeable, becoming, careful, desirable, engaging, facetious, generous, honest, industrious, judicious, keen, lively, merry, natty, obedient, philanthropic, quiet, regular, sensible, tasteful, useful, vivacious, worthy, xylegraphic, yeoman, zealous, etc., and as I understand this 'splendid subject for fine writing' the Africans trekked from the voo-roop to the kopje, and dorp et from the spruit to the disselboom. It stands to reason, too, for—

Editor—"Cut her short, Nemo, I've done wilted."

O. G. W.

#### Ladies and Children

Who can not stand the shocking strain of laxative syrups and cathartic pills are especially fond of Little Early Risers. All persons who find it necessary to take a liver medicine should try these easy pills, and compare the agreeably pleasant and strengthening effect with the nauseating and weakening conditions following the use of other remedies. Little Early Risers cure biliousness, constipation, sick headache, jaundice, malaria and liver troubles. Sold by all druggists.

#### HAMPTON.

J. C. Rutter's house was torn up by lightning Monday. It was lucky there was no one at home.

J. H. Nelson, J. Trace Hardin and Dr. J. F. Crawford were shocked considerably by it.

O. C. Lasher of Smithland was in town Thursday, shaking hands with the boys.

H. C. McCord is in Louisville this week buying goods.

Our friend R. R. Champion is back with us again.

R. B. Woodyard of Birdsville, was in the se parts Sunday.

Dr. A. A. Casper and R. Foster of Joy were here Friday.

Mrs. E. B. Hardin and Miss May Hardin are visiting at Carrville this week.

T. J. Perryman is painting J. H. Nelson's store house.

Mrs. Duke Scott and family, of Berry ferry, visited her sister, Miss Annie Foster, here Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. J. Alsbrook went to Evansville last week.

The Hardin & Loyd string band made the music at Mr. Rutter's Saturday night at the social.

J. N. Wright is shipping tobacco now.

#### Not a Sick Day Since.

"I was taken severely sick with kidney trouble. I tried all sorts of medicines, none of which relieved me. One day I saw an ad. of your Electric Bitters and determined to try that. After taking a few doses I felt relieved, and soon thereafter was entirely cured, and have not seen a sick day since. Neighbors of mine have been cured of rheumatism, neuralgia, liver and kidney troubles and general debility." This is what B. F. Bass, of Fremont, N. C., writes. Only 50c. at Woods & Orme's.

#### ENON.

Not much farming yet because of wet weather.

Tobacco buyers hustling around for any that is unsold; tobacco has taken a rise now that it is all out of the hands of the farmers.

The latest news from the Washingtonians was O. K. at St. Paul the 18th. Hope they are all safe in their faraway home by this time. It was a sad parting at Crayneville when so many life long friends parted never to meet again until the judgment day.

J. T. Stephenson, wife and son Alva visited Porter Spickard's family Saturday.

Dug and Jim Chambliss, Kell Sullivan and wife, Ben Gardner,

Dick Riley and a host of others were on the creek fishing Saturday but did not have much luck as the fish refused to bite.

Mrs. Ida Prowell planted corn Saturday and killed a cat for killing her young chicks.

Mrs. Dan Vinson, who has been sick all winter, is some better.

Fisk Sullivan moved Saturday to Mrs. Hackney's.

Five more weeks of Porter Spickard's school, which will make ten months, he having taught two schools since Aug.

Parson Blackburn prized a J shipped a hoghead of tobacco last week; hope the parson will get a pocket full of money.

No weddings in sight now since Jim Riley's honey skipped out.

#### Exposure

To cold draughts of air, to keen and cutting winds, sudden changes of temperature, scanty clothing, undue exposure of the throat and neck after public speaking and singing, bring on coughs and colds. Ballard's Horehound Syrup is the best cure.

Mrs. A. Barr, Houston Texas writes, Jan. 31, 1902: "One bottle of Ballard's Horehound Syrup cured me of a very bad cough. It is very pleasant to take." 25c, 50c, \$1.00. Sold by Woods & Orme.

#### BAYOU.

It has been some time since our place has been heard from, so we will note some of the happenings of our town.

Many of the farmers are not done breaking corn ground, but they are delighted with the late warm weather.

The steamer Dick Fowler gave an excursion from Paducah to Golconda Sunday.

A. G. Edwards visited the latter's parents, G. N. McGrew and wife.

G. N. McGraw went to St. Louis to beat the opening of the World's Fair. He took with him some very fine samples of agricultural products, among which was a bunch of timothy which measured about 5 feet in length, and a bundle of corn which measured 15 feet in length, and among other things, samples of fine wheat and corn.

#### Kentucky News.

Lang Bros. Druggists, Paducah, Ky., write: "We sell more of Dr. Mendenhall's Chill and Fever Cure than all other remedies combined, having retailed over 700 bottles in one season. The physicians here prescribe it and persons who use it once will have no other." Children like it.

#### CROOKED CREEK.

Our Sunday school enrolls 44 at present.

Come out to Sunday school children and bring papa and mama with you.

Henry Gass and family left for Missouri last week.

Russell Ford and Seldon Driver are ready to begin planting corn these boys are hustlers.

Tom Gass has a new boy at his house and Tom touches the soil at high places.

Roe Gilbert gave his road a working last week and put it in good shape.

Bud Thurman's little child got it's hand badly burned.

Geo. Huland and Hugh Wilborn can load more dogs in a wagon than any one else; they went by here with thirteen and then did not have a load.

Charley Conger and Dee Gass went to Missouri last week.

## R. F. DORR,

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Look at These Prices and Be Convinced.

Best Marion Flour 65 and 70 cts. per sack; Flour per barrel in sacks, \$5.20;

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Best Corn, three cans for 25 cts.

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## CHITTENDEN & CHITTENDEN.

#### SHADY GROVE.

Miss Bertha Cannon, of Marion has returned home after an enjoyable visit.

Miss Emma Easley of Providence, spent a week at this place, visiting friends and relatives at this place.

Iley Woods is looking very sad since a certain young lady has returned home, but hope she will come again soon.

There was an enjoyable supper at Mrs. Beard's residence Saturday night.

We have called Bro. Henry for our pastor this year and think he is a great preacher.

Mrs. M. E. Campbell is improving slowly.

Miss Frank Gardner will leave for Salem in a few days.

Uncle Jeff Melton is still on the sick list.

Mrs. Beard is getting along nicely with her church work and we will soon have a respectable building to worship in and hope to have an organ soon.

There were a crowd of young people attending the foot washing at Dalton Sunday.

The farmers are busy planting corn.

Miss Verna Todd is getting on nicely with her school.

Roy Towery has purchased him a new buggy and thinks that Iley Woods will have one soon.

#### Growing Aches and Pains.

Mrs. Josie Sumner, Bremond, Texas, writes, April 15, 1902: "I have used Ballard's Snow Liniment in my family for three years. I would not be without it in the house. I have used it on my little girl for growing pains and aches in her knees. It cured her right away. I have also used it for frost bitten feet, with good success. It is the best liniment I ever used. 25c., 50c., \$1.00. Sold by Woods & Orme."

When parents insist on spoiling their children they have to live with them as a punishment.

Sick headache results from a disordered stomach and is quickly cured by Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. For sale by Woods & Orme.

#### IUKA.

We believe spring is here at last. The trees have put on their spring dresses and the mosquitoes have appeared.

Messrs. G. W. Dixon, Jno. Evans, and D. A. Sexton have gone to Louisville.

Quite a crowd attended Sunday school Sunday afternoon at this place.

Miss Minnie Nickel, of Grand Rivers, was the guest of Miss Mary Fugate last week.

Mrs. Williamson, of Tenn., who has been visiting her son Dr. G. W. Williamson, has returned home.

The musical at Mrs. E. M. Dycus' Monday evening was enjoyed by every one.

W. H. Bennett, of Paducah, has removed to the W. W. Dycus farm.

Miss Tyline Dunn, of Saratoga, is visiting Miss Vernell Burton.

Miss Ada Lovell, of Greenville, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Will Brown.

#### A Cure For Piles.

"I had a bad case of piles," says G. F. Carter, of Atlanta, Ga., "and consulted a physician who advised me to try a box of DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve. I purchased a box and was entirely cured. It is splendid for piles, giving relief instantly, and I heartily recommend it to all sufferers." DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve is unequalled for its healing qualities. Eczema and other skin diseases, also sores, cuts, burns and wounds of every kind are quickly cured by it. Sold by all druggists.

#### MATTOON.

Mrs. Smythe of St. Louis, and sister Mrs. Potts, of Harrisburg, Ills., visited relatives at this place recently.

Musical at Frank Cowen's Saturday night.

Mrs. Hodges of Repton spent Friday and Saturday with her mother.

Bart Summerville, our enterprising merchant, enjoyed a nice horseback ride Sunday.

Mrs. Sallie Moore, Will Howerston and family, visited the family of Arthur Nunn, near Perry ferry Saturday and Sunday.

Alex Woody and wife who have been temporarily located at Marion, that their children might enjoy the advantages of school at that place, have moved back to their farm in this vicinity.

Mrs. Wilcox and daughter Winnie have gone to Paducah, where they expect to reside.

George King captured and killed seven foxes one morning last week.

During the thunderstorm of last Thursday lightning struck John Sullivan's barn; but little damage was done.

Hubert Burton, who left here several days ago for the west, has secured employment in Kansas.

John Sullivan and family spent Saturday and Sunday with relatives near Cave spring.

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## A RURAL TELEPHONE.

In this progressive age no farmer should be without a telephone. Its usefulness can not be overestimated. It saves time and money. How much easier it is to talk than to walk or ride. To the isolated farmer it brings him in touch with the world. To the farmer's wife it is a break in the monotony of life; it brings her nearer her neighbor, with whom she can often have a friendly talk when her time is too limited for a visit. In cases of sickness a physician may be summoned in less time and without any inconvenience. It is a splendid burglar and fire alarm. It serves many needless trips to town or to neighboring farms; with a ring you are able to communicate with your grocer, your butcher, the railroad or the bank. You may transact business with another farmer without leaving his own home and business. As a sufficient proof of the usefulness and pleasure of a telephone it is almost a universal fact when once tried they are never given up, and people who usually insist that they have no need of a 'phone or cannot afford one, usually end by having one put in. A prominent telephone man recently said: "The only objection I ever heard against the farmers having a telephone was by a man who wanted an excuse to go to town. He could not get any satisfaction out of a drink of whiskey over a telephone wire."

There are a few drawbacks toward extending the rural telephone service. First, the difficulty of making people without telephones appreciate their value. Second, the excessive rates of companies when there is no competition. And lastly, the lack of knowledge on the part of hundreds of farmers as to how to organize their own companies and build their own lines.

It is a difficult task, but one which has been successfully tried throughout many parts of the country, and which can be done in any enterprising community.

One must first make the people appreciate the full value of the telephone fully—make them realize what a public benefit and good business investment it is, besides being such a great personal convenience.

A company may be organized where a dozen or more reliable people will take instruments in a cooperative company, each man having a 'phone pays either in cash, or work, or material. After a company has been in operation, if new members are added it often leads to complications because the last ones do not have the same expense of construction, and it costs very little to add instruments. This can be avoided where each new member is made to pay the same sum of the original member. In most cases the stock company is the best plan. If well managed it is bound to be a success. But when there is not enough interest in the community to form a stock company, a few neighbors can chip in and put up a private line to obtain telephone service as soon as possible and perhaps later it may be possible to form a stock company and extend the business. If it is possible the local exchange should be connected the long distance, although it is the local service that is of far more value to the smaller towns and farming communities.

After the company is organized and written agreements secured from people who want the 'phone, the next thing to be done is to secure the right of way and make a survey of the proposed route.

It will take two men to measure and flag the route and a boy may drive the wagon containing the necessary supplies—plenty of two foot stakes, 150 feet of braided rope, one ax and about three flag poles ten feet high. Lay out the line as straight as possible, keeping an exact record of the location of the pole, the distances, etc. and avoiding trees whenever it is possible.

When the wires are attached to the trees they away with the wind

and break the wires where the branches are hanging over the wires. They are apt to break or to become loaded with ice and fall.

The poles are placed at various distances apart, from 135 to 175 feet, depending upon their size, the wires to be fastened to them, the straightness of the line and the risk when there is ice. There is no economy in using poles that will rot and have to be replaced in a few years. White cedar poles last twelve years and chestnut fifteen, while Norway pine lasts in about six years. Where the country is level 25 foot poles are best; if the land is rugged use 20 foot poles in higher places and 25 foot poles in the low ground. This will keep the wires nearly level. The holes for the poles should be dug four feet deep for the twenty foot poles and five feet for the 30 foot poles.

In rocky places drilling and blasting with dynamite may be found necessary. Have only enough holes dug at one time to use the same day as it is always dangerous to leave holes open along a country road.

When the poles have been prepared—a carpenter should do this while the holes are being dug—bore a hole about five-eighth inch for the through bolt and fish the top to prevent the water from being shed on the cross-arm; cut the gables about an inch deep at right angles to the poles when the cross arms are on; place a plank at the back of the hole to keep the soil from coming in and help the pole to slide in smoothly. Carry the pole to the hole and place the butt against the plank.

It takes five or six men to raise one of the poles when the cross-arm is on. Having the pole in an easy position to raise let all together raise the top end shoulder high and lay it on a support; then while one man keeps the butt steady with a cant hook two men are in front with long pikes and two in back with short pikes. At a given signal all raise the pole in unison. Then two at a time they get into a better position lower down and then make a last heave to get the pole in position. The pole should stand perfectly erect, supported by the pikes until the dirt is filled in; two of the men can shovel the dirt while the other two tramp it down.

After all the poles are in the wires are next started. This requires two line men and a ground man. The wires, insulators and reels should be carried in a wagon. While driving along the route the reels unwind the wires, two at a time, leaving them out straight upon the ground, and the insulators are laid at the bottom of each pole as they are passed. The line men next carry the wires up to the poles and after the wire has been made as tight as possible it is fastened to the poles by the line men.

Use only the best and durable material for all of the work. A metallic circuit (two wires) is to be preferred. There are numerous good telephone instruments on the market, the best ones costing about fifteen dollars with batteries. The entire cost of line construction should not exceed \$75.

Any enterprising community can have one for little trouble and expense. All that is necessary is to make up your mind to have one and stick to it, and when you get started do every part of the work thoroughly and accurately.

## Kodol Dyspepsia Cure

Digests what you eat. This preparation contains all of the digestants and digests all kinds of food. It gives instant relief and never fails to cure. It allows you to eat all the food you want. The most sensitive stomachs can take it. By its use many thousands of dyspeptics have been cured after everything else failed. It prevents formation of gas on the stomach, relieving all distress after eating. Dieting unnecessary. Pleasant to take. It can't help but do you good.

Prepared only by E. C. DeWitt & Co., Chicago. The 51. bottle contains 24 times the 50c. size.

## DR. FENNER'S KIDNEY and Backache CURE

All diseases of Kidneys, Bladder, Urinary Organs, Also Rheumatism, Backache, Heart Disease, Gravel, Dropsy, Female Troubles.

Don't become discouraged. There is a cure for you. If necessary write Dr. Fenner. He has spent a life time curing just such cases as yours. All consultations Free.

"I suffered from kidney and bladder trouble until life was not worth living. I began using Dr. Fenner's Kidney and Backache Cure and in a short time I noticed a great improvement. The soreness left my back and I was soon permanently cured. Yours truly, HOWARD MITCHELL, Kansas City, Mo., Druggists, 50c. \$1. Ask for Cook Book—FREE

## HEBRON.

Fishing parties seem to be the order of the day in this neighborhood.

Newt Weldon and family came near getting drowned in Crooked creek last Monday by crossing a full creek.

Ellie Williams and Miss Rose Nation were married in Evansville last week.

Lacy Nunn and sister Mabel passed through this section last Monday.

L. E. Cook, sr., is visiting friends in Evansville this week.

John Swanagan has twenty-five acres of corn planted and says he will have roasting ears this summer if it stops snowing long enough.

Jerry Belt has bought his children a new organ; our hat is off to you, Jerry.

Mr. Woulridge, the stock man, was in our neighborhood last week looking for fat hogs and cattle.

The farmers have begun plowing in the river bottoms since the water has got back into the banks the overflow doing most of them good rather than harm.

Distemper among the horses is very prevalent in this neighborhood.

Walter Green is out again after a six or eight weeks go with typhoid fever.

Mrs. Maggie Flanary is still improving.

Uncle Wess Watson has been suffering lately with eczema.

Herschel Franklin is on the sick list.

Mrs. Hattie Threlkeld, of Hurricane, spent the day with Lige Franklin Thursday.

Wm. Spencer returned from Mo last week.

Fred Daughtry and wife have gone to housekeeping on the Ed. Flanary farm.

A new boy at Walter Simpson's Our Sunday school is flourishing; we have good lessons and large crowds every Sunday.

We have been told Miss Emma Terry will teach our school this fall; if so we may look for a good school.

Rev. Given preached for us Sunday and Sunday night, this being his first appointment at this place.

## BOWLING GREEN.

Editor Press: I want to say a few words through the Press in behalf of Bowling Green and one of her institutions, Cherry Bros. Southern Normal school.

Bowling Green is a beautiful little city of about 12,000 inhabitants. It is situated in the center of Warren county, and is surrounded by fine agricultural lands. The city has electric lights, fine macadamized streets, street cars, a reservoir on top of a hill overlooking the city, supplies the people water by means of a hydrant, magnificent churches of all denominations and last, but not least, several institutions of learning, of which Cherry Brothers' rank first. Several hundred students, representing several states, are in attendance.

It reminds one of a bee-hive, in which we might, metaphorically, designate Prof. Cherry as the busiest "bee" in the hive.

The school furnishes a thorough and practical education in business, scientific and classic courses. F. E. Davis.

## Doesn't Respect Old Age.

It's shameful when youth fails to show proper respect for old age, but just the contrary in the case of Dr. King's New Life Pills. They cut off maladies no matter how severe and irrespective of old age. Dyspepsia, jaundice, fevers, constipation all yield to this perfect pill. 25c. at Woods & Orme's drug store.

## WOODS & ORME, DRUGS AND DRUGGISTS SUNDRIES.

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Immense Stock of Wall Paper, Paints and Oils, Headquarters for School Books, Tablets, Pencils, Cardboard, Pens, Ink.

## LETTER FROM ARKANSAS

POLLARD, ARK., April 24, 1904

—EDITOR PRESS: If you will give me a short space in the columns of the dear old Press I will again let its readers hear from me, as I have now learned more about this country, and will say, the longer I stay here the better I like it and will give my reasons.

First, this is a new country and, as I have said before, land is cheap. There is some government and state land in this country for homesteading and donation.

You can homestead 160 acres and from the time you make your entry until you prove up on it, it will cost you only \$16. The most of it is bottom land, as the ridge land has been taken up. A few miles north of here, on the Cache and Black rivers, lie hundreds and hundreds of acres of land which is not cleared up. It is heavily timbered with cypress, oak, gum and elm. In these woods we get our deer and turkey; and I notice, Mr. Editor, that you have an invitation for a hunt by Harry Gill, of Texas, and so I will extend you the same. If you will come here I will insure you all sorts of fun in one of our hunts. We go as far in the woods as we can in one day, go horseback through the thickest of timber, wade sloughs that are full of cypress knees and fight mosquitoes world without end.

We camp out at night on the open ground, cook what game we eat on forked sticks and we have to keep our campfires burning all night to keep the wolves off while we sleep. We are frequently awakened by their howling, or the noise of some other prowling wild beast.

Some of the finest people are here you ever saw. The most of them came here from Tennessee, and the next thing to being at home is to be with a Tennesseean. The fruit crop here has been slightly damaged by the frost, but a very good crop is expected. Corn and wheat are growing slowly on account of cold weather. There will be a large crop of cotton planted here, as it is easier cultivated than tobacco and more money in it. A renter pays only one third for ground. There is no tobacco raised here.

I have so far failed to meet a Kentuckian here and have given up hopes of ever seeing one within the borders of this country. I am thinking of going to St. Louis this summer and perhaps I may meet some of the old boys at the World's Fair.

John E. Roberts.

## Clarke-Devers.

Wednesday evening at 7 o'clock Mr. T. Tedford Clarke and Miss Zilpha Devers were united in the holy bonds of matrimony at the home of the bride's father, E. C. Dever, a well-known farmer of the Salem valley.

The bride is one of Livingston county's loveliest and most attractive young ladies. Mr. Clarke is the son of the deceased S. G. Clarke and is a most respected young man. Their many friends wish them a prosperous future.

Washington will become a great state; she has the soil, water, mineral, timber, and climate, and in a few more years, if the tide of immigration is kept up, as it has for the past few months, she will have the population, and I don't think she will lose her magnetic power for many years yet.

Well, I will now tell you how our former Crittenden county citizens are getting along. They are

doing fine and everybody admires the country. They are scattered all over Yokima valley. I think it would be more proper to call this valley Kentucky people's valley, or Crittenden valley.

I will give you names of some people, and what they are doing, and salary they receive per month:

H. S. Wheeler, farming, \$45 00  
John R. Rushing, " 45 00  
J. P. Woodall, " 40 00  
H. Burr, " 35 00  
Collie Hill, " 39 00  
Aaron Hill, " 39 00  
Ed. Cruce, " 52 00  
H. Cruce, " 30 00  
Ewell Hill, " 39 00  
Albert Jacobs, " 39 00  
Robert Farmlay, " 39 00  
Wyatt Brooksher, " 39 00  
E. Woodall, " 39 00  
Harve Vinson, " 39 00  
Robert Scott, " 65 00  
Walter Scott, " 45 00

These are all at work and they say that they are going to stay in Washington, and jobs are waiting for the next crowd. I guess that crowd that is to arrive on the 2d of May will think they have stepped into Paradise, for every tree has leaved out, and flowers bloom and crops all planted one month ago.

I received a letter today stating that snow fell in Kentucky on the 20th. I never knew or heard of such occurring in this valley. It scarcely ever snows here at all. It is much warmer than in Kentucky, and much healthier, but Kentucky has the greatest rainfall.

Well, Mr. Jenkins, I'll bring my letter to a close, wishing prosperity to Kentucky. I am, yours, RICHARD E. ROWLAND.

## The City Mills!

I now have the City Mills, of Marion, Ky., in good running order, having given them a thorough overhauling.

I shall make a speciality of Custom and Exchange Milling and also try to furnish the retail trade with Flour, Graham Flour, Meal, Feed Etc., at the mill and will run a Free Delivery of my goods to any and all parts of the city, and solicit a share of the public patronage, and guarantee satisfaction.

M. A. WING, Marion, Ky.

## R. J. MORRIS

## Dentist,

Office over Marion Bank.

MARION, KY

## THE YAKIMA VALLEY.

ZILLAH, WASH., April 26, 1904.

—DEAR EDITOR: Having recovered from the fatigue of my trip and learned about the beautiful valley in which I live, I shall endeavor to write a few lines for the benefit of the Press.

First I will tell of the beautiful Yakima valley, between the South eastern and Southwestern corners of Washington and is thirty-five miles long, and fifteen miles wide thus making an area of about 336, 000 acres of the richest soil in the United States, its formation being volcanic ashes.

Yakima valley is bounded by ranges of low mountains; low enough to enable us to view the snow-capped peaks of the towering Cascades and one low range of hills that bisect this valley, and the southern section is called Sunnyside. This is a good name for this section for it is very sunny and hot. The northern section is called Yakima proper. It is not as good a country as Sunnyside, though a fine country.

The Yakima river is the only stream that traverses this vale and along this river things look quite beautiful, as the only timber there is in Yakima valley is along this stream, and the trees are leaved out in full. It is from this river that Yakima valley gets its nourishment; the water that produces vegetation comes from this river.

Yakima valley has several villages scattered about, but the most noted is North Yakima, which is a city of seven thousand inhabitants, and this city is growing rapidly, and will in a few years be one of the great cities of the west. It is the home of Congressman Jones, who came to Washington some few years ago unable to pay for having his clothes washed, but today he stands at the headline of the greatest men of this State and is very wealthy.

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Washington will become a great state; she has the soil, water, mineral, timber, and climate, and in a few more years, if the tide of immigration is kept up, as it has for the past few months, she will have the population, and I don't think she will lose her magnetic power for many years yet.

Well, I will now tell you how our former Crittenden county citizens are getting along. They are

doing fine and everybody admires the country. They are scattered all over Yokima valley. I think it would be more proper to call this valley Kentucky people's valley, or Crittenden valley.

I will give you names of some people, and what they are doing, and salary they receive per month:

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## NEW SALEM.

Forty per cent of the corn crop planted last week.

Felix Tyner left for Arkansas last week.

Henry Brouster visited his uncle, Esq. James Brouster, near Carville, last week, who is in very feeble health.

B M George, of Hurriorne, was in this section recently visiting his mother.

Mrs Mary Taylor is very sick at her son-in-law's, Wm LaRue's.

We were glad to meet our old neighbor, Jesse Stevenson, of Frances, who with his wife is here to see his wife's mother, Mrs Taylor.

Uncle John Mullinax is making his home with Henry Brouster this year.

Samuel Davidson of Sheridan, was the guest of his nephew, Ben Davidson Sunday.

The fire clay mines on the Stevens farm have closed down for a while, but will open up again before long.

In our last week's letter to the Press we said Mrs Aaron Watson was very sick; it should have been Allen Watson's wife.

Joe Parker and wife of Livingston county, were the guests of their kinfolks, Spill Threlkeld's family, Sunday.

The bridge near Tom Harpending's needs looking after by our county officials. The county also needs a bridge near Henry Brouster's, as the crossing is very bad.

The fruit crop is very promising in this section.

Uncle John Kirk and son are spending a few weeks with their son Jacob, near Emaus.

George Kirk is out again after a six week's lay up with a broken leg.

Miss Jennie Binkley, of Pinckneyville, is the guest of her sister Mrs Austin.

Lan Harpending must be thinking of locating at Pinckneyville by the way he makes his weekly visits to that bright little city.

We are always glad to see letters printed in the paper from our home people who have gone to other states to reside.

## CHAPEL HILL.

Mrs Duke S. Hill, from Evansville, is visiting her friends and relatives in this precinct.

It is predicted now that tobacco plants will be very scarce in Chapel Hill; the snow and ice killed them.

Some tobacco hanging in the barn yet, waiting for a bigger price; about two-thirds of the present crop has been bought.

Chapel Hill is getting her portion of corn put in the ground this week; our boys take advantage of all good weather.

Alex Elder has moved to the farm known as the Puckett place, belonging to B F Walker.

James Wooten, from Hurricane was visiting P M Ward last week.

Miss Stella Hill gave her Sunday school class a nice picnic last Saturday and had a nice little dinner.

James N Hill and Everett Bebout have three thousand watermelon hills planted and will plant more.

Albert Hughes sold a fine milch cow to Geo Whitt, of Frances for \$40.

Dick Cruce left for Texas Sunday.

Al Adams has moved to his home.

Tobe Crider is working for Adams & Bro.

Fred Cruce has been laid up with the rheumatism but is better now.

Watson Rice was in the Dycusburg section Sunday to see his stepson, Ed Henson, who is very low with measles.

Geo H Crider is making the round trip from Marion now.

ry day and attending to the railroad business at Crayneville.

Several attended commencement last week.

Henry Minner left Sunday for Sherman, Texas, to accept a position as clerk in a large hotel.

Ned Cruce, of Tiline neighborhood, was in our section last week.

Miss Ellen Minner was visiting her brother, Willie Minner of Marion Saturday night.

## TOLU.

The health of our town at present is good.

A C Melton, J W Weldon and Kinney McCord returned from Marion Sunday.

The brick work on the Tolu bank is nearing completion.

J O Brown has just completed a warehouse 20x30 feet at our landing.

Miss Koons, a trained nurse from Evansville, is visiting Mrs. Forrest Harris of this place.

J O Brown stepped on a nail last week which kept him indoors for quite a while, but he is now able to hop around.

Senator Clark, Doc Lear, Art Weldon and company went to Elizabethtown, Ill., Sunday, returning Monday.

John Moore and wife of near Marion, are visiting the family of Scott Paris, of this place.

Foster Brown has returned from Smithland, where he has been attending school through the spring months.

Miss Mima Weldon and Mr. Maurice Paris attended church at Pleasant Hill Saturday and Sunday.

Rev Martin filled his appointment Saturday and Sunday.

LA Weldon lost a very fine young mare by blood poison last week.

## RODNEY.

Lacy and Doc Truitt attended the commencement exercises at Marion last week.

Rev Hayes filled his regular appointment at Greens Chapel Sunday.

Mrs Ida Roberts and son visited here Sunday.

Sumner Newcom, our road overseer, had some very creditable work done on our public roads recently.

E L Nunn and family attended the commencement exercises at Marion.

Miss Mabel Wilson will take the coming teacher's examination.

WS Hicklin was in Rodney Wednesday.

J D Dempsey made a trip to Sturgis Saturday.

Hull Newcom and son were in Marion Saturday.

Rev Oakley filled his regular appointment at Belle Mines Sunday.

Robt L Nichols, of Repton was in Rodney Saturday.

H L Sullivan and G W Gahagan shipped a lot of hogs to Evansville via the Ohio river a short time ago.

Mrs Wm Pumley continues to improve.

Dr Franklin, of Rose Bud, was in our midst Wednesday.

William Pumley went to West on Thursday.

Chester Truitt returned from Marion Saturday evening, having enjoyed the previous nights of the commencement exceedingly well.

Miss Edith Davis returned to her home near this place Tuesday having graduated from the Marion common school with great credit. She will return to Marion next week and enter the contest for a teacher's certificate.

## A Runaway Bicycle

Terminated with an ugly cut on the leg of J. B. Orner, Franklin Grove, Ill. It developed a stubborn ulcer unyielding to doctors and remedies for four years. Then Bucklen's Arnica Salve cured. It's just as good for burns, scalds, skin eruptions and piles. 25c. at Woods & Orme's drug store.

## STARR.

Tobacco not all sold in this community.

W. F. Wilson has moved to Marion.

Some of our roads have been worked.

C. C. Woodall has just returned from Kansas. He likes the country. He reports S. Woodall and family doing well. Sherman is a real estate agent.

Our farmers are getting in their work now in earnest. There will be an immense corn crop planted in this section if nothing breaks or slips loose.

Ollie Hughes and wife were visiting Mrs Mollie McNeely, the first Saturday and Sunday.

Rev Vaughn filled his regular appointment at Piney creek the first Sunday; he has the care of two churches in this county, Cookseyville and Piney creek, and he is a prime favorite with both congregations.

Miss Clara Woodall gave Miss Pearl McNeely a visit Monday.

Mrs Belle Andrews and J B McNeely have lost several hogs recently. The latter had 7 shoats to die in 12 hours.

Extracts from Washington letters:

I am getting \$45 per month. Birt Bradley.

This is a good country, good people and finest potatoes I ever saw. Mrs. Lillie Hill.

This is a very good country. Henry Buhr.

This is a fine country. I will be at home soon. H. S. Wheeler.

If you have a good home there you had better stay at it. I am going back to Kansas. Bill Jacobs.

I am receiving good wages, is the way every one writes who has written back; all the way from \$30 to \$50 per month.

## FREDONIA AND KELSEY.

Miss Lucy Farris of Salem, visited her brother, Dr R C Farris, of this place last week.

Rev Miller and family are visiting relatives at Corydon.

Miss Georgie Boaz attended the commencement exercises at Marion.

Guy Copper was taken with appendicitis last week, and Dr Farris accompanied him to Louisville where we learn an operation will be performed at once. His many friends here hope that he will speedily recover and be with us again.

Geo Stone and Tom Ordway went to Marion Monday.

Mr Hall Payton and wife of Livingston county, were guests of A. Boyd and family last week.

Miss Lena Conyer returned to her home Sunday from an extended visit to friends at Paducah.

J W Dobson spent Sunday with Rob Hill and family at Pinckneyville.

W F McMurphy, of Sturgis was greeting his many friends here Monday.

Bob Wilborn, of Oklahoma, was in our village Monday.

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## His Foot Jerked Off.

The right foot of Frank Stratton, a colored rouster on the Dick Fowler, was cut off at Jopps, Ill., by one of the boats heavy lines. It was jerked against the capstan and flew out into the river. The rouster came near dying from loss of blood.

## DYCUSBURG.

(Last Week's Letter.)

On Saturday a large concourse of sorrowing friends and relatives assembled in the Baptist church to listen to a funeral sermon delivered by Rev Oliver and to pay the last tribute of respect to the memory of Mrs Carrie Bennett, wife of Wm Bennett and mother of H. B. and W. L. Bennett, who died at her home in Dycusburg, of consumption, April 29th. Her long and patient suffering had drawn to her the sympathy of all the community, and every heart was saddened at the loss of this good woman to her friends and family. Mrs Bennett came from Texas, her native State, to Kentucky, to visit relatives in her girlhood, in 1857, and during that visit she, as Miss Carrie Gray, was married to Mr Bennett. Since then until Friday, when she expired at the age of 64 years, she has lived in and near Dycusburg. She was one of the charter members of the Baptist church at this place and in that faith she entered into her eternal rest. Her sister, Mrs Sallie White of Texas arrived a few hours after her death.

Saturday, when so much sorrow was being felt for the already bereaved in our town, the community was shocked at the news that another prominent citizen, Mr. Pate Wells, had been summoned to his long home. Mr. Wells had been suffering with pneumonia for several days, but was not known by his friends to be in a dangerous condition. When those who were not in immediate attendance upon him least expected it the news spread rapidly, "Mr. Wells is dead." He was 54 years of age. Until recently he was a resident of Livingston county. He was a man whose sterling honesty and other manly qualities had won him many friends. On Sunday a large number of people assembled at Grove Chapel cemetery to witness his burial. Funeral services were conducted by Revs Johnson and Tolley. Among the relatives from near Smithland who attended the burial were Lon Cothorn and wife, Tom Wilson and sister, and Newt Wells a half brother of deceased.

Mrs Mollie Decker, wife of Mr. Reuben Decker, died at the insane asylum at Hopkinsville last week, and her remains were brought to Grove Chapel to be interred beside those of her husband. She left a number of orphan children to the care of her relatives.

Mr Lucien Vosier and Miss Eulah Ramage of our town were happily united in marriage in Marion last Tuesday.

Miss Helen Graves Sunday for a trip on Str. Richardson to Nashville.

Dr. W. I. Graves and his brother, Hon Eugene Graves of Paducah, visited their old home here last week. Dycusburg always accords these gentlemen her heartiest welcome.

Miss Mattie Brook, of Nashville, is a guest of her sister, Mrs. Jennie Vosier.

Tom Clifton, of Marion, visited his mother last week. There is an unusual amount of sickness in Dycusburg.

## ATTENTION, BAPTISTS.

The Ministers and Members meeting of the Ohio River Association will meet with the Union church, Crittenden county, Ky., May 27-29. The people of Union are looking for you and will be glad to have you with them.

The following is the program of the meeting:

1. Introductory sermon, T. C. Carter, G. S. Summers alternate.
2. What steps, if any, should a minister take to secure a pastorate, E. B. Blackburn.
3. What qualification natural, acquired, and of grace, should a man possess before the church ordain to the ministry, J. S. Henry.
4. Atonement and sacrifice, T. A. Conway.
5. Exercises of Luke 11:13, J. J. Franks.
6. Sermon for criticism, F. L. Atwood, E. M. Eaton alternate.
7. Adoption and election, C. E. Perryman.
8. A model pastor, W. R. Gibbs.
9. To what extent should women speak in mixed assemblies, M. E. Miller.
10. How to stimulate giving to missions, R. A. LaRue.
11. Qualifications and duties of deacons, R. A. Clark.
12. How to make the song service helpful, U. G. Hughes.
13. The church and the Sunday school, J. S. Kinsolving.

P. A. Clark, F. L. Atwood, R. A. LaRue, Committee.

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